

YARMOUTH SKIPPER FAILS TO EXPLAIN

He Was Expected to Throw
Light on Disappearance
of Booze.

Cap'n Elshun Cockburn, known to
many as the commander of the whiskey
ship Yarmouth, failed to make his sched-

uled appearance at the office of Denis
Shevlin, Federal Prohibition Agent, in
the Custom House yesterday, where he
was expected to throw some light on the
mysterious disappearance from the
Yarmouth's \$1,800,000 cargo.

It was learned at Mr. Shevlin's office,
however, that officials of the Black Star
Line, operating the Yarmouth, had ex-
pressed a desire to move the ship from
her present station off the Statue of
Liberty up the North River to West
123d street. They were informed that
any such move on the part of the Yar-
mouth might result in the seizure of her
cargo.

All has been quiet aboard the Yar-
mouth since the prohibition guard was
placed on her. Fifteen men from Mr.
Shevlin's force were assigned to that

duty last night, despite the fact that
the secretary of the steamship company
said Friday that the Yarmouth was ex-
pected to clear this port again this
morning.

Whether Charles E. Hughes intends
to comply with the request made of him
by Gov. Milliken of Maine to act as
chief counsel in the legal battle to be
fought by the drys in upholding the
eighteenth Amendment is still matter
for conjecture. Mr. Hughes declined to
discuss the matter yesterday.

Anti-prohibition forces have held that
petition in certain States ratifying the
amendment without submitting it to a
referendum was invalid and Rhode Isl-
and is making the issue of State
rights.

It was learned yesterday that State
Director of Prohibition Charles P.
Donnor of Albany will arrive in this
city Monday or Tuesday and will hold a
conference with city officials and mem-
bers of the local staff to outline the
campaign to be waged in keeping New
York bone dry.

One more still owner surrendered his
outfit at Mr. Shevlin's office yesterday.
He was B. O'Brien, Jr., of 729 Broad-
way, Brooklyn. He said he purchased
the still, which was of one gallon size,
from a Dillingham concern.

Richard Gans, a saloonkeeper, at 2734
Third avenue, who was arrested Friday
charged with having illegally in his pos-
session one gallon of whiskey and two
gallons of wine, was arraigned before
United States Commissioner Hitchcock
yesterday. Examination was waived and
he was held in \$500 bail for trial.

Last night marked the expiration of
the short time licenses issued by the
State Excise Commissioner on October 1,
but many saloons remained open, con-
tinuing the sale of near beer and other
soft drinks.

In Brooklyn yesterday United States
District Attorney Leroy M. Ross held a
conference with other Federal officials.
He is arranging to meet representatives
of wholesale and retail druggists with a
view to fixing a fair price for the sale of
liquor in case of sickness. Three hun-
dred certificates to sell liquor already
have been issued to druggists and it is
expected that 1,000 will apply for the
privilege.

Funeral of Daniel P. Libby.
Funeral services for Daniel P. Libby,
veteran Staten Island newspaper man,
were held yesterday afternoon in his
home in the Baltimore Apartments,
Tompkinsville, the Rev. James L. Fraser
of the First Presbyterian Church of Sta-
ton, officiating. Mr. Libby died sud-
denly on Thursday.



REPUBLICAN WOMEN AT TRAVIS RECEPTION.

Comptroller and His Wife
Are Hosts to 500.

The interest of Brooklyn women in
politics was shown clearly yesterday
afternoon, when more than 500 women
members of the Republican County
Committee of Kings county attended
a reception and tea given in their
honor by Eugene M. Travis, State Com-
ptroller, and Mrs. Travis in the Brook-
lyn Club, 131 Remsen street.

Women who are the wives of election
district captains, and women who hold
exalted positions on State and national
Republican committees discussed with
great earnestness over the prospects
of a Republican victory at the
polls next autumn and what
steps they could take to aid in such a
victory.

In the receiving line with Mr. and
Mrs. Travis were George A. Glyn,
chairman of the Republican State Com-
mittee; Jacob A. Livingston, Republi-
can leader in Brooklyn, and Mrs. Liv-
ington; Mr. and Mrs. William Board-
man, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Vass, Mrs.
Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of the
women's division of the Republican
State Committee; Mrs. Arthur L. Liv-
ernore, Mrs. William Ives, executive
secretary of the women's division of
the State committee; Mrs. McDonald
De Witt, member from Kings of the
State executive committee; Mrs. Albert
H. Gleason of the State and national
Republican committees; Mrs. Ruth
Litt, representing Suffolk county.

Another tea is to be given by Mr.
and Mrs. Travis at their home on Feb-
ruary 9.

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Paris, the regal sumptuousness of
which seems to indicate that the
"reign of gilt" is to be continued
through another season. The Ameri-
can productions, however, are scarcely
less magnificent—and, certainly, not
less appealing; even the simplest of
them having a charm which is quite
distinctively feminine. Not the least
distinguished feature of the new dis-
play is the assemblage of outergar-
ments for sports wear—smart novelties
that would go far toward popularizing
the out-of-door life with even the most
indolent of womankind. (Third Floor)

Embroidered Woolen Fabrics

Duveltyns, velours and tricotines,
elaborately embroidered, will fea-
ture prominently among the fashion-
able materials for Spring frocks and
tailleurs; wherefore they rank first
among the new and interesting tex-
tiles now displayed in the Wool Dress
Fabrics Department. There are also
some highly effective embroidered
duveltyns that have been designed es-
pecially for vestees and hats.

Other novel fabrics that have a dis-
tinction all their own are the pastel-
tinted plaids and striped woollens, the
imported sports chevrons, and the
smart velour coatings. (First Floor)

Misses' Tailored Suits

Charmingly youthful models,
these, introducing the newest
effects in Eton jackets, box coats,
belted coats, and the extremely novel
three-piece affairs that will most di-
rectly appeal to the demoiselle who con-
fesses to a distaste for the ubiquitous
blouse. The materials are as varied
as the styles, some very chic results
being obtained with silk duveltyns,
others with tricotine, serge and taffeta.
Embroideries and braided designs are
prominent among the decorative fea-
tures. The prices range from \$48.00
to \$275.00. (Second Floor)

Imported Hosiery for Men

That Fashion regards the needs of
the sterner sex with the same
kindly indulgence as those of the
gentler is clearly evidenced in the
new display of lisle half-hose just
received from France, the colors of
which must infallibly appeal to that
esthetic sense with which the man of
taste is so generously endowed.

There is also a recent importation
(from England and Scotland) of woolen
half-hose and golf hose, which will
command the instant and interested
attention of every sportsman.
(First Floor)

A Remarkable Sale

for to-morrow (Monday) will comprise
Several Thousand Yards of
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36 inches wide, in an attractive variety
of the smart colors (with a generous
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(Silk Department, First Floor)

Special Values

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\$75.00 to 265.00

(Third Floor)

A Sixth Floor Sale of

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This Special Sale will consist of a large
quantity of Imported Hand-made Filet
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meshes), ranging in widths from 1½
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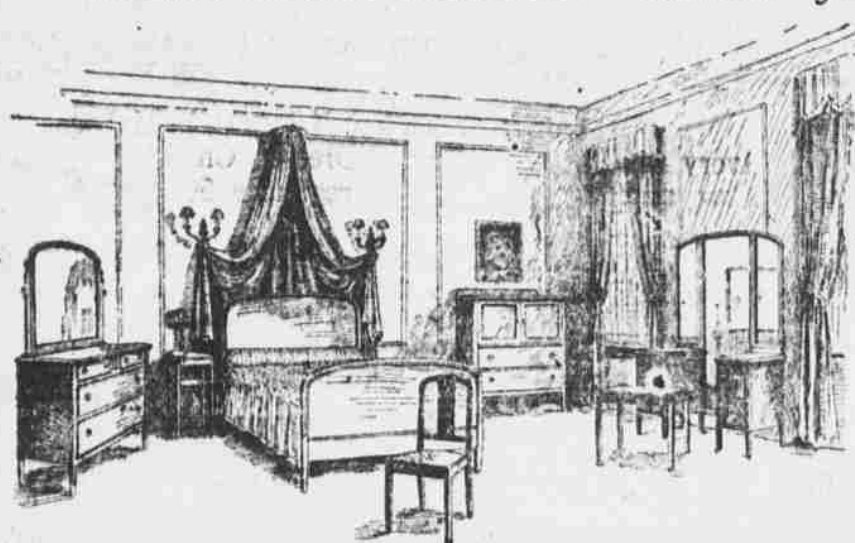
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size, it being 52 inches wide, Vanity 48 inches wide and handsomely carved
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Living Room Suites

A VERY SPECIAL SUITE of three pieces,
full upholstered and a moderate price, large
Sofa with loose cushion seat, soft arms and
roll back, Arm Chair and Wing Chair to
match, covered in a handsome tapestry of
splendid quality.
Reg. \$465. Sale Price

\$365

A CANE SUITE—Very handsome and lux-
urious, three pieces, adaptation of Louis XV.,
in walnut, with soft upholstered down back,
and loose down cushion seats, large Sofa, large
Arm Chair and Ladies' Arm Chair, covered in a
very fine cut velvet in two tone blue of ex-
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ity, full upholstered, in walnut, delicately mod-
eled in Italian motif, large Sofa, Love Seat
and Arm Chair, with loose down cushion
seats and soft cushion effect backs, covered in
fine silk damask.
Reg. \$1065. Sale Price

\$585

EXCEPTIONALLY LUXURIOUS—All up-
holstered suite, large downy Sofa and two
Chairs, with loose down cushion seats, com-
fortable roll arms and backs, covered in
a choice selection of tapestry with velvet
trimmings.
Reg. \$985. Sale Price

\$680

CHIPPENDALE SUITE—Solid mahogany,
beautifully carved frame suite of highest
quality, consisting of large Sofa and two
Chairs, loose down cushion seats and cov-
ered in an extremely fine silk damask of
exquisite design.
Reg. \$1450. Sale Price

\$995

FINE ITALIAN SUITE—In walnut, elab-
orately carved base, full upholstered large Sofa,
Arm Chair, Wing Chair and large Bench,
reversible down cushion seats, covered in a
beautiful piece of exquisite design.
Reg. \$2500. Sale Price

\$1865

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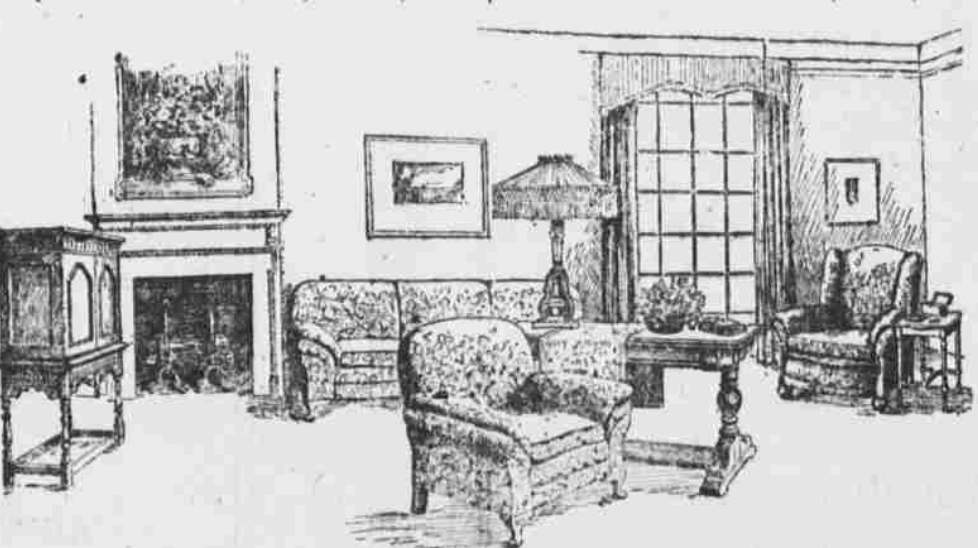
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